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1. [REDACTED] Talked to Dorothy Fosdick, Staff Director, Senate Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, about the material provided for a possible speech by Senator Jackson. She was most complimentary about what she had already received and had some additional requests. (See Memorandum for the Record for details.)

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2. [REDACTED] Accompanied [REDACTED] to brief Senator John Sherman Cooper regarding movements of Warsaw Pact forces relating to the Czech crisis and the present deployment of these forces. Mr. William Miller, of the Senator's staff, was present. [REDACTED] briefed on a secret level, carefully distinguishing which material could or could not be used in a public presentation. The Senator concluded the meeting by remarking that he was somewhat reassured that the present posture of the Warsaw Pact forces was not as ominous as some observers had claimed. He said he expected a briefing from Department of Defense representatives tomorrow.

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3. [REDACTED] Mr. John Sullivan, Administrative Assistant to Senator Daniel Brewster, called to say the Senator would appreciate a briefing on "world trouble spots" around noon on 22 October. After checking with the Director I called Sullivan to confirm the time of the briefing and to invite him and the Senator to have lunch with some of us. He accepted with pleasure.

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4. [REDACTED] Ken Gray, Administrative Assistant to Senator Joseph Tydings, called to inquire whether a car which has been following a friend of the Senator's belongs to the Agency. Gray had attempted to ascertain the owner through the Maryland Motor Vehicle Department but the license number was blocked. After checking with Security, I informed Gray the automobile does not belong to this Agency and suggested that he should be able to obtain the identity of the owner through the Maryland State Police.

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